



# APD NEWS

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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### *Media Advisory*

### **APD Officers honored with Surprise Ticker-Tape Parade and Recognition Event**

On Sunday, October 24, 2010, APD Officers will be honored with a surprise Ticker-Tape Parade and Recognition event at the Avenue Lofts located at 410 E. 5<sup>th</sup> Street. The parade will begin at the entrance of the Avenue Lofts and will travel through the narrow courtyard leading to the pool area.

### **Surprise Ticker-Tape Parade Honoring APD Officers**

**Sunday, October 24, 2010**

**The Avenue Lofts**

**410 E. 5<sup>th</sup> Street**

**6 p.m.**

Immediately following the parade, the officers will be recognized by APD Assistant Chief Raul Munguia, Executive Director of the Downtown Austin Alliance Charlie Betts, and several community members. The officers will then be presented with a special award.

A ticker-tape parade is a parade event that takes place in a downtown urban setting, allowing large amounts of shredded paper products from nearby buildings onto the parade route, creating a celebratory effect by the snowstorm-like flurry.

**Media Advisory:** Media please call APD PIO at 512-974-5017 if you plan to attend. For more information about the event please contact Madge Whistler from the 5<sup>th</sup> Street Community at 512-850-4540.

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